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In re Application of : Ehrenleitner et al.
Examiner : To be assigned
Serial No. : 10/729,858
Group Art Unit : 2818
Confirmation No. : 8498
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Title : STORAGE AND RETRIEVAL UNIT

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PETITION FOR FIVE MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Dear Sir:

In accordance with 37 CFR § 1.136, Applicant respectfully requests an extension of the period in which to file the response to the notice to file missing parts having an Official mailing date of March 9, 2004, relative to the above-identified patent application, for an additional five months, from May 9, 2004, up to and including October 9, 2004.

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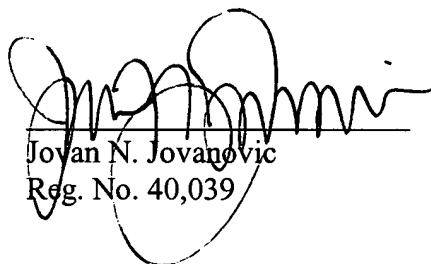
In accordance with 37 CFR § 1.136, Applicant respectfully submits that a response was originally required to be filed on or before May 9, 2004, a period of two months from the mailing date of the notice to file missing parts; that the above-identified patent application is not involved in an interference proceeding; and that Applicant hereby submits check No. 10414 in the amount of \$2,010.00 for payment of the extension fee, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(5). Accordingly, Applicant petitions for acceptance of the presently requested five month extension of time.

If any other charges or fees must be paid or credited in connection with this communication, they may be paid out of Deposit Account No. 50-2131.

Respectfully submitted,

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